

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

A. RFP no. and Date:	019/2017 – May 1, 2017		
B. Subject:	Leased line Internet for RDMA & ARTC		
C. Issuing Office/Section:	USAID RDMA, Executive Office 25 th Fl, Athenee Tower 63 Wireless Road, Bangkok 10330, Thailand		
D. Closing date for receipt of questions: Closing date for receipt of proposals:	May 12, 2017 – (5pm, Bangkok Time) June 19, 2017 – (5pm, Bangkok Time)		
E. Type of Award:	Fixed Price – Purchase Order		
F. Basis for Award:	Soliciting competition, evaluation of quotations or offers, award and documentation (FAR Part 13.106)		

Description of Requirements

The United States government, represented by the U.S. Agency for International Development (USAID), invites qualified companies/individuals to submit cost proposal of the services specified below. This is to support the operation of USAID/RDMA, Bangkok Thailand.

Proposal submission and questions regarding this Request for Proposal (RFP) shall be ONLY via email to puriya@usaid.gov by the time/date specified above.

The award of a contract hereunder is subject to the availability of funds. Issuance of this RFP does not constitute an award or commitment on the part of the U.S. Government, nor does it commit the U.S. Government to pay for costs incurred in the preparation and submission of a proposal. **Please be advised that all interested parties are required to be registered in Dun and Bradstreet and are subject to SAM registration before an award can be made.** Information on obtaining the Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS), can be found at this website: http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform. Offerors are also required to register their business on the U.S.

Government's System for Award Management (SAM) at www.sam.gov. Information on this process for foreign vendors is available here. Prospective offerors are encouraged to register in SAM prior to the submittal of quotations.

Internet Leased Line and Data Link Service Period: October 1, 2017 – September 30, 2018

No	Item Name	Description	Minimum Guaranteed Bandwidth
1	Primary Internet Leased Line	Optimized internet leased line and dedicated link to U.S.A.	15 Mbps
2	Secondary Internet Leased Line	Second internet link for Wifi solution.	20 Mbps
3	Internet Leased Line for ARTC	Backup link for ARTC services.	30 Mbps

Notes:

- USAID/RDMA office utilizes the Symphony fiber optic installed at Athenee office tower for Internet service provider connections.
- The Internet service provider must provide the appropriate Cisco routers (and its spare part) during the service period.
- The provider must demonstrate the quality internet link uptime historical record.
- The provider must demonstrate its quality of internet connectivity options to the international gateways.
- The provider must have 24x7 quality support services.

Selection Criteria:

- A) Detailed Price Proposal (60%)
- B) Past Performance (40%)

All interested parties must submit a detailed price proposal along with documentation that demonstrates previous successful completion of services described in this Request for Proposal; this could include letters of recommendations, appreciation or other evidence of vendor capability from previous customers.

The USAID Contracting Officer will select the successful contractor using a Best Value approach, considering price factors and past performance. The Contracting Officer, at the Government's discretion, may enter into negotiations with one or more offeror to discuss improvements in the proposal and cost deduction. Upon successful negotiation with the vendor, a purchase order will be issued, and a lump sum payment made upon acceptance of all deliverables and within 30 days of receipt of invoice.